



Report to the Auburn City Council

Action Item
Agenda Item No. 9

City Manager Approval

To: Mayor and City Council Members
From: Mark D'Ambrogi, Fire Chief
Date: March 9, 2009
Subject: Informational Item- Auburn Fire 2008 Incident Response Report

The Issue

This is a Staff report on 2008 Fire Department response and emergency incidents. No action is requested or required. This is informational only.

Conclusion and Recommendation

Staff will present an overview of 2008 Fire Department response.

Background

Highlights

- Fire Department calls for service during 2008- Total 1824, highest recorded volume to date.
- Medical Aid related calls highest response; 73% of total calls
- Fire and Medical Call types indicate an increase over the previous year.
- Over a ten (10) year period, Fire Department calls for service indicate a 22% increase.
- 15 additional volunteer firefighting personnel are in various levels of training.
- Grant funding for fuels projects continues to become very competitive. Prop 40 funds have ceased; there is an outstanding invoice of approximately \$36,000.00 due two vendors of which the state has not paid.
- Automatic and mutual aid occurrences with neighboring agencies continue to increase due to significant growth in call volumes and multi incidents occurring at the same time.

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